GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Highway Projects in Tamil Nadu
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has provided adequate funds and attention to various major and minor Highway projects in Tamil Nadu;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the list of projects underway and to be under taken in the next two years;

(c) the details of the funds earmarked and allocated for such projects in the last three years, year-wise;

(d) whether the Government has provided funds for the infrastructure development of new Highway projects in Tamil Nadu; and

(e) if so , the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a). The Ministry is primarily responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways (NHs). The development and maintenance of NHs is continuous process. Ministry also allocates funds to the State/Union Territories (UTs) for development of State Roads (Non-Rural Roads) and State roads of Economic Importance and Inter-State Connectivity (EI & ISC) under CRF scheme.

(b). Details of projects sanctioned during last three years and current year for works under NH (O), CRF and EI & ISC in Tamil Nadu are as under:

Year	Project sanctioned					
	NH(O)		CRF		EI & ISC	
	Nos.	Amounts (Rs. in Crore)	Nos.	Amounts (Rs. in Crore)	Nos.	Amounts (Rs. in Crore)
2013-2014	39	594.46	32	255.00	5	39.03
2014-2015	20	807.04	-	-	-	-
2015-2016	10	541.16	78	390.00	2	90.91
2016-2017	41	378.66	148	605.66	2	36.90

(c) to (e) Fund allocated during last three years and current year for works under NH (O), CRF & EI & ISC are as under:

Year	Fund allocation/release (Rs. in Crore)		
	NH(O)	CRF	EI & ISC
2013-2014	210.24	127.82	2.50
2014-2015	167.13	155.09	37.70
2015-2016	337.02	160.33	5.00
2016-2017	566.00	392.02	63.00

In addition following expenditure has been incurred by concessionaries/Contractors of NHAI for development of NHs in Tamil Nadu during last three years and current year.

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in Crore)
2013-2014	1910.81
2014-2015	621.26
2015-2016	852.95
2016-2017	793.44

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